Admiralty, 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Schomberg Kerr to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 20th November, 1866.

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure Admiral Sir George Francis Seymour, G.C.B., G.C.H., has this day been promoted to be Admiral of the Fleet, and in consequence thereof the following flag promotions, also dated this day, have been made :-

Vice-Admiral Thomas Wren Carter, C.B., on the Retired List, to be Admiral on the same List. Vice-Admiral Sir Thomas Sabine Pasley, Bart.,

to be Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet. Rear-Admiral Honourable Joseph Denman to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Astley Cooper Key, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

## Queen's Commission.

7th Administrative Battalion of Middlesex Rifle Volunteers.

Edward Daubeny, late Captain 58th Regiment of Foot, to be Adjutant, from the 15th September, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ross.

Sir Charles Munro, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain James Dixon Mackenzie to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Charles Addington Hanbury, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Fitzgerald Lockhart Ross Murray, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November,

Roderick Grogan Mackenzie, Esq., to be Deputy

Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866. John Charles William Paul Graham, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November; 1866.

James Fletcher, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

John Fowler, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

St. George's Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Charles Bullen Waller to be Captain, vice Browne, resigned. Dated 6th November,

40th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Spooner to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 5th November, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.

2nd Pembrokeshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant Benjamin George Jones to be Captain. Dated 12th November, 1866.

Second Lieutenant Joseph Richardson to be First Lieutenant. Dated 12th November, 1866.

William Newby to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 12th November, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

3rd Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Ryves Graves, Gent., to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon, vice Cookson, resigned. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

1st Kent Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Robert Gresley Hall to be Second Lieutenant, vice Bryant, promoted. Dated 12th November,

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Lieutenant Paul John Henry Butler to be Captain. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Edward Anthony Ledgard to be Captain. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Lieutenant William Stephen Rayner to be-Captain. Dated 13th November, 1866.

## MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the incorporation of the 44th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps in the 11th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps; and Captain McKean, Lieutenant Pye, and Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Lawrence Preston will henceforth be considered as holding Commissions in the latter Corps.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

2nd Somersetshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward Silvanus Appleby, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Murch, resigned. Dated 13th November,

7th Somersetshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George Snow Tricks, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Bountney, promoted. Dated 13th November.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

1st Staffordshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Walter Acton, Gent., to be First Lieutenant. Dated 7th November, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

17th Suffolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Herbert Peto, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Scott, resigned. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York.

3rd North Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John Edward Thorley Graham to be Second Lieutenant, vice Taylor, promoted. Dated 13th November, 1866.